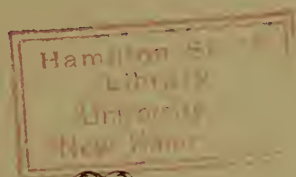


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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
Shelburne, N. H.
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31
1939



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Town Officers, 1938-1939

Selectmen

FRANK H. EDWARDS LAWRENCE E. PHILBROOK
CUVIER B. EVANS

Treasurer

CHARLES H. EVANS

Tax Collector

RALPH I. PEABODY

Town Clerk

LAWRENCE E. PHILBROOK

Auditors

JOSEPH TANNER PERLEY EVANS

Trustees of Trust Funds

IVA M. PEABODY CHARLES H. EVANS
CUVIER B. EVANS

Library Trustees

BERTHA PHILBROOK EVA B. EDWARDS
MAUD A. RIX

Road Commissioner

GORDON EVANS

Supervisors of the Check List

MAUD A. RIX ALICE BISBEE
FRANCES PEABODY

Constable

RAYMOND HAYES

State of New Hampshire

SEAL

To the inhabitants of the Town of Shelburne, in the County of Coos, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Shelburne on Tuesday the fourteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To hear the reports of town officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
3. To hear the report of the budget committee and act thereon.
4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of town highways and bridges.
6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid construction of highways.
7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the library.
8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries.
9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for relief of town poor.
10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the cost of fire equipment.
11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$57., based on 1-100 of 1% of the assessed valuation, for the town's share of cooperative participation in the White Mountains Region Association.

12. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to distribute the inventory blanks when taking inventory.

13. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through tax collector's deeds.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

F. N. EDWARDS,
L. E. PHILBROOK,
C. B. EVANS,

Selectmen of Shelburne.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

F. N. EDWARDS,
L. E. PHILBROOK,
C. B. EVANS,

Selectmen of Shelburne.

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF SHELBURNE, N. H.

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, February 1, 1939, to January 31, 1940, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures for the Previous Year, February 1, 1938, to January 31, 1939.

SOURCE OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1938	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1939	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest and Dividends tax \$	627.99	\$ 600.00	\$	27.99
Railroad tax	133.87	125.00		8.87
Savings Bank tax	267.75	250.00		17.75
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Interest received on taxes			
and deposits	133.79	100.00		33.79
Motor Vehicle permit fees	232.90	200.00		32.90
From Local Taxes Other than Property Taxes:				
(a) Poll taxes	106.00	170.00	\$	64.00
(b) Nat'l Bank Stock taxes	5.10	40.00		34.90
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Total Revenues from All Sources				
Except Property Taxes	\$1,507.40	\$1,485.00		
Amount to be Raised by Prop- erty taxes		12,933.52		
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Total Revenues		\$14,418.52		

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF SHELBURNE, N. H.

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, February 1, 1939, to January 31, 1940, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures for the Previous Year, February 1, 1938, to January 31, 1939.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1938	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1939	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' salaries.....	\$ 417.77	\$ 375.00		\$ 42.77
Town Officers' expenses.....	133.19	150.00		16.81
Election and registration expenses.....	51.00	20.00		31.00
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department		100.00	\$ 100.00	
Fire Department	300.00	150.00	150.00	
Health:				
Health Department, includ- ing hospitals.....		50.00	50.00	
Highways and Bridges:				
Town maintenance	1,114.17	2,000.00	885.83	
Libraries:				
Libraries		50.00	50.00	
Public Welfare:				
Town poor	372.65	200.00		172.65
Old Age assistance	118.00	100.00		18.00
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	39.99	40.00	.01	
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Construction—				
Town's share	1,006.72	850.00		156.72
Payments to Other Govern- mental Divisions:				
State taxes	1,116.00	1,200.00	84.00	
County taxes	4,805.93	4,500.00		305.93
Payments to school districts	4,000.00	4,633.52	633.52	
Total Expenditures	\$13,475.42	\$14,418.52		

Inventory of Town Property

Lands and buildings.....	\$549,100.00
Electric plants	7,186.00
Horses, 67	8,685.00
Cows, 68	3,030.00
Other neat stock, 9	360.00
Sheep, 7	35.00
Fowl, 190	90.00
Wood, lumber	2,396.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks.....	675.00
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Total	\$571,557.00
Amount exempted to soldiers.....	2,000.00

Statement of Appropriations and Taxes Assessed

Town officers' salaries and expenses.....	\$ 500.00
Town Hall and other buildings.....	225.00
Fire	100.00
State Aid construction.....	849.00
Town road maintenance	2,000.00
Libraries	50.00
Town poor	400.00
Cemeteries	40.00
State tax	1,116.00
County tax	4,805.93
School tax	4,000.00
White Mountains Region.....	57.00
Sesquicentennial	100.00

Total appropriations..... \$ 14,242.93

Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:

Interest and Dividends tax	\$ 600.00
Railroad tax	100.00
Savings Bank tax.....	200.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	175.00
From cash surplus.....	239.53

\$ 1,314.53

\$ 12,928.40

Plus overlay..... 142.93

Net amount to be raised by taxation .. \$ 13,071.33

Less poll taxes .. \$ 172.00

National Bank stock taxes .. 39.30

211.30

Amount to be raised by property taxes on
which town tax rate is figured .. \$ 12,860.03

Tax rate for all purposes—\$2.25 per \$100.00 valuation.

Balance

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer.....	\$ 6,544.89
(a) Dog tax	6.00
(b) Rent Town Hall.....	4.00

Accounts Due to the Town:

Due from County:	
(a) Over payment Old Age assistance.....	33.04
Other bills due Town:	
(a) Fire bill	150.00

Unredeemed Taxes:

(a) Levy of 1938	8.78
(b) Levy of 1937	8.13

Uncollected Taxes:

(a) Levy of 1938	1,015.89
(b) Levy of 1937	32.60
(d) Previous years	64.60

Total Assets	\$ 7,867.93
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Grand Total	\$ 7,867.93
Net Surplus, January 31, 1938	\$ 6,031.90
Net Surplus, January 31, 1939	7,861.93
Increase of Surplus.....	1,830.03

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LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

(a) Dog licenses..... \$ 6.00

Total Liabilities \$ 6.00

Excess of assets over liabilities .. \$ 7,861.93

Grand Total .. \$ 7,867.93

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. N. EDWARDS,
L. E. PHILBROOK,
C. B. EVANS,
Selectmen of Shelburne.
C. B. EVANS,

Treasurer.

February 21, 1939.

Receipts

From Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed to collector, 1938	\$ 13,072.57
Less discounts and abatements, 1938	25.20
Less uncollected, 1938.....	1,015.89
Property taxes, current year, actually collected	\$ 11,920.38
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected	106.00
National Bank Stock taxes.....	5.10
Total of current year's collections	\$ 12,031.48
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	713.36

From State:

Reimbursement for town poor—old age assistance—soldiers' aid	16.50
Interest and dividend tax	627.99
Railroad tax	133.87
Savings bank tax	267.75

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Interest received on taxes.....	33.02
Interest received on deposits.....	100.77
Registration of motor vehicles, 1938 permits	232.90
National forest reserve	257.02

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Refunds	409.81
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

	409.81
	\$ 14,824.47
Total Receipts from All Sources.....	14,824.47

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries.....	\$ 417.77
Town officers' expenses.....	133.19
Election and registration expenses.....	51.00
Expenses town hall and other buildings....	154.99

Protection of Persons and Property:

Fire department, including forest fires.....	306.00
Bounties	8.80

Highways and Bridges:

Town maintenance	1,114.17
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Charities:

Old Age assistance.....	118.00
Town poor	372.65

Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire.....	39.99
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Unclassified:

Taxes bought by town.....	8.78
Discounts and abatements	57.00

\$ 2,782.34

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

Highways and bridges—State Aid construction	1,006.72
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Total outlay payments 1,006.72

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to State	\$ 1,116.00
Taxes paid to County	4,805.93
Payments to school districts	4,000.00

Total payments to other governmental divisions 9,921.93

Total payments for all purposes \$ 13,710.99

Receipts

Cash on hand February 1, 1938.....	5,431.41
Grand Total	<hr/> \$ 20,255.88

Payments

Cash on hand January 31, 1939.....	6,544.88
Grand Total	<u>\$ 20,255.88</u>

Schedule of Town Property

Description	Value
Town Hall, land and buildings	\$ 1,500.00
Libraries, furniture and equipment	300.00
Highway Department, equipment.....	500.00
Schools, lands and buildings.. ..	5,000.00
Equipment	250.00
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Total	\$ 7,550.00

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F. N. EDWARDS,
L. E. PHILBROOK,
C. B. EVANS,
Selectmen of Shelburne.
C. B. EVANS,

Treasurer.

February 21, 1939.

Town Clerk's Report

Automobile permit fees collected	\$	232.90
Dog tax collected.....		6.00
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Total collections.....	\$	238.90
Paid to Town Treasurer.....		232.90
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Cash on hand	\$	6.00

Respectfully submitted,
L. E. PHILBROOK,
Town Clerk.

Tax Collector's Report

Taxes committed to collector, 1938 property..	\$ 12,860.15
Taxes committed to collector, 1938 polls.....	168.00
Taxes committed to collector, bank stock	39.30
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Total.....	\$ 13,067.45
Taxes collected, current year property.....	\$ 11,919.26
Taxes collected, current year polls.....	102.00
Taxes collected, current year bank stock.....	5.10
Taxes collected, previous years' property	665.36
Taxes collected, previous years' polls	48.00
Interest collected	33.02
Added property	1.12
Added polls.....	4.00
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Total collections paid to treasurer	\$ 12,777.86
Taxes uncollected, 1938 property	\$ 917.69
Taxes uncollected, 1938 polls.....	64.00
Taxes uncollected, 1938 bank stock.	34.20
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Total uncollected, 1938	\$ 1,015.89
Uncollected, 1937 polls	\$ 22.00
Uncollected, 1937 property	10.60
Uncollected, previous years' polls	16.00
Uncollected, previous years' property	48.60

I hereby certify that the above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH I. PEABODY,

Collector of Taxes.

Detail Statement of Receipts

February	
28. L. E. Philbrook, permit fees	\$ 62.18
March	
5. State, relief	4.40
19. State, relief	4.40
April	
1. L. E. Philbrook, permit fees	94.51
6. R. I. Peabody, collector	61.90
May	
4. State, relief	4.40
June	
11. R. I. Peabody, collector	180.52
July	
23. State, relief	3.30
August	
2. R. I. Peabody, collector	676.79
11. R. I. Peabody, collector	357.51
September	
16. L. E. Philbrook, permit fees	40.79
23. R. I. Peabody, collector	397.82
November	
8. R. I. Peabody, collector	715.19
23. R. I. Peabody, collector	292.15
30. R. I. Peabody, collector	9,285.88
December	
12. R. I. Peabody, collector	272.03
January	
1. Gorham Savings Bank, interest	100.77
23. State, railroad tax	133.87
23. State, Savings bank tax	267.75
23. Interest and Dividends tax	627.99
23. National forest reserve	257.02
23. Abatement State tax	409.81
31. L. E. Philbrook, permit fees	35.42
31. R. I. Peabody, collector	538.07
Total Receipts	
	\$ 14,824.47

Detail Statement of Payments

Town Officers' Salaries

Perley Evans, auditor	\$ 5.00
Joseph Tanner, auditor	5.00
Ralph Peabody, collector	126.77
Estate Alice Bisbee, librarian	18.75
Frank N. Edwards, selectman	75.00
C. B. Evans, selectman	40.00
Chas. H. Evans, treasurer	50.00
L. E. Philbrook, selectman	50.00
L. E. Philbrook, town clerk and fees	41.00
Florence Hayes, librarian	6.25
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	\$ 417.77

Town Officers' Expenses

Roy G. Hamlin, bonds	\$ 30.00
Association N. H. Assessors, dues	2.00
Smith & Town, town reports	58.68
Edson Eastman Co., town books	14.65
Edson Eastman Co., miscellaneous supplies	2.58
Joseph George, bond	20.00
Edson Eastman Co., miscellaneous supplies	2.58
L. E. Philbrook, postage	2.70
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	\$ 133.19

Election and Registration

Lucy Hayes, ballot clerk	\$ 6.00
Ralph Peabody, moderator	9.00
Iva Peabody, ballot clerk	6.00
Frances Peabody, supervisor	12.00
Estate Alice Bisbee, supervisor	6.00
Maud Rix, supervisor	12.00
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	\$ 51.00

Town Hall and Other Buildings

L. E. Davis, shingles	\$ 56.00
Clayton Rix, labor	6.00

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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A. E. Philbrook, paint and labor	73.20	
F. N. Edwards, nails	5.10	
F. N. Wheeler, janitor.....	10.00	
	\$	150.30

Fire

Town of Gorham, Ross fire.....	\$	300.00
Ralph Peabody, fire notices.....		6.00
	\$	306.00

Bounties

F. N. Edwards, hedgehogs.....	\$.60
C. B. Evans, hedgehogs.....		1.00
L. E. Philbrook, hedgehogs.....		7.20
	\$	8.80

Town Highways and Bridges

U. C. Hayes, payroll	\$	35.25
U. C. Hayes, payroll.....		35.58
U. C. Hayes, payroll.....		13.50
U. C. Hayes, payroll.....		43.50
U. C. Hayes, payroll.....		29.34
U. C. Hayes, payroll.....		31.83
Stone Farm Ass'n, snow plowing		54.75
Gordon Evans, payroll		8.55
Stone Farm Ass'n, snow plowing		52.93
Gordon Evans, payroll.....		15.33
Gordon Evans, payroll.....		38.75
Gordon Evans, payroll.....		40.70
Gordon Evans, payroll.....		53.95
State of N. H., tarvia		97.92
State of N. H., tarvia.....		36.72
State Garage, trailer.....		2.00
Gordon Evans, payroll		33.19
Gordon Evans, payroll.....		57.38
Gordon Evans, payroll		75.54
Gordon Evans, payroll		29.21
Gordon Evans, payroll		39.41
Gordon Evans, payroll		48.00
Gordon Evans, supplies		6.82

Gordon Evans, payroll	14.89
Gordon Evans, payroll	7.00
Gordon Evans, payroll	29.66
Stone Farm Ass'n, snow plowing.....	172.47
L. E. Philbrook, cottage roads.....	10.00
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	\$ 1,114.17

Libraries

Joseph George, insurance.....	\$ 4.69
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Old Age Assistance

Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman \$	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	16.52
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
Treasurer Coos County, account Wm. Cotman	8.26
State of N. H., account Wm. Cotman	5.90
State of N. H., account of Wm. Cotman.....	11.80
State of N. H., account of Wm. Cotman.....	11.80
State of N. H., account Wm. Cotman.....	5.90
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	\$ 118.00

Town Poor

Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster..... \$	22.00
Elmer Ingalls, transient	22.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Elmer Ingalls, transient.....	59.05
Curtis Hardware Store, saws.....	6.10
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Elmer Ingalls, transient	31.50
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster	44.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Hyacinthe McKenna, care Annie Webster.....	22.00
Stone Farm Ass'n, wood	12.00

\$ 372.65

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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Unclassified

White Mountains Region, appropriation..... \$ 57.00

State Aid Construction

State of N. H., State Aid construction \$ 430.50

State of N. H., State Aid construction 576.22

\$ 1,006.72

Taxes Bought by Town

Ralph I. Peabody, Connor taxes..... \$ 8.78

County

Treasurer Coos County, County tax. \$ 4,805.93

State

State of N. H., State tax..... \$ 1,116.00

Schools

Treasurer School District, appropriation..... \$ 4,000.00

Total Payments..... \$ 13,710.99

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF SHELBURNE, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1939

Date of Creation	TRUST FUND—PURPOSE	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income End of Year
Sept. 18 1909	Otis Evans	Gorham Savings Bank	\$ 50.00	2½%	\$ 85.67	\$ 3.40		\$ 89.07
July 1 1914	Sarah R. Ingalls	Gorham Savings Bank	100.00	2½%	129.49	5.76		135.25
April 13 1918	Emlyn W. Evans	Gorham Savings Bank	100.00	2½%	104.35	5.12		109.47
October 21 1932	Washington Newell	Gorham Savings Bank	50.00	2½%	10.94	1.51		12.45
August 1 1936	Loren B. Evans	Gorham Savings Bank	100.00	2½%	3.01	2.58		5.59
August 1 1936	Jacob Stevens	Gorham Savings Bank	100.00	2½%	3.01	2.58		5.59

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

IVA M. PEABODY
CHARLES H. EVANS,
CUVIER B. EVANS, Trustees.

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Shelburne qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the fourteenth day of March, 1939, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Shelburne this twenty-fifth day of February, 1939.

MAUDE G. RIX,
IVA M. PEABODY,
CHARLOTTE WILSON.
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

MAUDE G. RIX,
IVA M. PEABODY,
CHARLOTTE WILSON.
School Board.

February 25, 1939.

Financial Report of Schcol Board

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1938

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records, and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws of 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

W. S. ADAMS,
Superintendent.

MAUDE G. RIX,
IVA M. PEABODY,
CHARLOTTE WILSON,
School Board.

School Superintendent's Report

Shelburne, N. H.,

February 1, 1939

Your school opened for this present year with an enrollment of 30 pupils and with the same teacher, Miss Florence Hayes, in charge.

At the graduating exercises in June last, three pupils were given eighth grade diplomas.

These three pupils are now continuing their school work in Gorham High School—making a total of 16 Shelburne pupils now in attendance at Gorham High.

The school year has been 36 weeks as is required and the percentage of attendance was 94.7%.

The work of the pupils has been checked up by visits of inspection and the use of standardized tests.

The work in Reading and Arithmetic in the lower grades has been especially well done.

The work accomplished in the Upper Grades has been in accordance with the State Program for those grades.

The enrollment for the year ending June 30, 1938, was as follows:

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
First	2	3	5
Second	0	1	1
Third	2	3	5
Fourth	1	2	3
Fifth	0	2	2
Sixth	6	1	7
Seventh	2	1	3
Eighth	2	2	4
	15	15	30

Respectfully submitted,
W. S. ADAMS,
Superintendent.

Receipts and Payments

Receipts

Year Ending June 30, 1938

Regular appropriations	\$ 3,453.87
Cash on hand July 1, 1937.	310.07
Money borrowed from town.....	384.06
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Total	\$ 4,148.00

Payments

Salaries of District Officers	\$ 55.00
Superintendent's salary	73.52
Expenses of administration	1.14
Teacher's salary	1,000.00
Textbooks	28.57
Scholars' supplies	25.03
Other expenses of instruction.....	3.12
Janitor service	273.00
Fuel	154.00
Water, light, janitor supplies.....	23.48
Minor repairs and expenses.....	87.62
Health supervision	75.00
Transportation of pupils.....	1,035.09
High School tuitions	1,122.08
Special activities	1.35
Per capita tax	90.00
Insurance	100.00
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Total	\$ 4,148.00

School Board's Estimate for 1939-1940

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SHELBURNE, N. H.

Teacher's salary	\$ 1,000.00
Textbooks	40.00
Scholars' supplies	40.00
Flags and appurtenances.....	5.00
Janitor service	273.00
Fuel	175.00
Water, light, janitor supplies.....	40.00
Minor repairs and expenses.....	125.00
Health supervision	75.00
Transportation of elementary pupils.....	675.00
Transportation of High School pupils	350.00
High School tuitions	1,050.00
Salaries of District Officers.....	55.00
Superintendent's salary	73.52
Per capita tax	102.00
Other special activities	5.00
Deficit from last year and this year	550.00
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Total	\$ 4,633.52

MAUDE G. RIX,
IVA M. PEABODY,
CHARLOTTE WILSON,
School Board.

Shelburne, N. H., February 1, 1939.

Grave Forest Situation

January 23, 1939

To All Boards of Selectmen:

I respectfully request you to publish in the forthcoming Annual Town Reports the statement appearing below, or one of your own which might bring the subject matter nearer home.

The timber salvage and fire control problems created in many towns by the hurricane are well known to you, as well as the efforts being made to reduce present and future losses. Public agencies are doing everything possible but **INDIVIDUALS MUST BE AROUSED TO HELP!**

I thank you for any cooperation of this kind which you may be able to give.

JOHN H. FOSTER,
State Forester.

Grave Forest Situation Follows September Hurricane

Woodland problems of timber salvage and fire control created in many towns by the September hurricane are of the greatest importance. **GOOD CITIZENSHIP CALLS FOR PERSONAL AND WIDESPREAD ACTION!**

The salvage of every thousand feet of logs which can be sold means money for landowners, wages for workers, employment for trucks, teams and machinery, as well as reduced forest fire hazard for all. If owners of windthrown timber have not yet acted, they should communicate with those who can help. **TOWN CHAIRMEN** are fully informed; **STATE ADVISORY AGENTS** can help to start logging by suggesting names of operators and giving useful advice; **FEDERAL AGENCIES** are increasing the number of log storage places as rapidly as possible. **INDIVIDUALS MUST NOW COOPERATE!**

Forest fire danger for several years will be greater than usual. So much work must be done by public agencies to reduce hazard along roadsides, near improved and other exposed areas that many places will remain hazardous for some time to come.

INDIVIDUAL LANDOWNERS MUST TAKE A PERSONAL INTEREST! Aid in clean-up work through the Agricultural Conservation Program is available to any woodland owner at \$4.00 per acre on areas up to 15 acres. The County Agent should be consulted.

Support your local Forest Fire Wardens and Deputies. They are planning, with State and Federal agencies, an intensive campaign to control fires. Help them by strict observance of the fire laws. Kindle no open fires without a permit from the Warden except when the ground is covered with snow. Cooperate by reporting fires you may see and in other ways. Fire fighting tool supplies are inadequate and should be reasonably increased by many towns. YOU CAN HELP, AND IT WILL PAY, TO PREVENT FOREST FIRES!

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SHELBURNE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Dec. 9.....	Richard Bradley..	m	Living	8	Purmot Kidder.....	Frances Olmstead.....	w	Shelburne..	Operator ..	Waterville, Me.....	Medford, Me

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SHELburnE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

Place and Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Age of each	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Per- son by whom married
March 4.....	Wallace Mullins..... Fanny Hayes.....	West Milan..... Shelburne.....	Laborer..... School Teacher...	22 20	Milan..... Shelburne.....	William Mullins..... Jessie Lang..... Uriah Hayes..... Lucy Davis.....	Milan..... West Milan..... Jackson..... Jefferson.....	Delphas S. Barnett, Clergyman, Milan, N. H.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SHELBURNE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

Date	Name	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Condition	Occupation	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Years	Months	Days									
March 15...	Pierre Barbin	71	6	26	Warwick, P.Q. ...	m	w		Hotel Clerk.....	Xavier Barbin.	Unknown	Canada.....	Unknown
Nov. 10...	Raymond Bergeron.	17	11	16	Berlin	m	s		Filling Station	Philip Bergeron	Rosana Nadeau.....	W. Stewartstown...	Canada.....
Dec. 5...	Nellie Patterson	79	10	14	Magalloway, Me.	f	m		Housewife.	Joseph York.....	Mary Flint	Harrison, Me.	Magalloway, Me.
Dec. 10...	Arthur Wilson.....	66	8	11	New Brunswick...	m	m		Retired	William Wilson	Margaret Comick...	England.....	New Brunswick.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of all the births, marriages and deaths reported to the Town Clerk of Shelburne, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1938.

LAWRENCE E. PHILBROOK, Town Clerk.

